



Charles G. LaCroix, Sr.

December 29, 1928 - August 6, 2015

Charles G. LaCroix, Sr., 86, passed away Thursday, August 6, 2015 peacefully at Captain James A. Lovell Federal Health Care Center in North Chicago. He was born December 29, 1928 in Chicago Heights, lived in Kewanee, IL until he joined the U.S. Navy serving in WWII and was a Lake Bluff, IL resident for the past 55 years. After the war he received his B.A. at Illinois Wesleyan University in Bloomington, IL, where he met the love of his life and wife of 61 years, Helen and was a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity. Charles was an art director in advertising for 40 years, a member of Church of St. Mary in Lake Forest and the Deer Path Art League. He was a professional artist, talented painter and sculptor, enjoyed trips with his family and will be dearly missed by his family and friends.

Surviving are his wife, Helen LaCroix of Lake Bluff; 4 children, Charles (Patricia) LaCroix, Jr. of Three Rivers, CA, David LaCroix of Lake Bluff, Peter (Julie) LaCroix of Loxahatchee, FL and Suzanne (Rodney) Woolford of Chicago; 4 grandchildren, Emily, Spencer, Kailey and Gracie; sister, Marie (the late Connie) Gorski and brother, Ralph (the late Glenna) LaCroix and also by a sister-in-law, Patricia LaCroix.

He was preceded in death by his son, Steven LaCroix on November 10, 2014 and his brother, Joseph (Doris) LaCroix.

The visitation will be from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 13, 2015 at Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, 120 W. Park Ave. (Rt. 176, one block west of Milwaukee Ave.), Libertyville. The funeral mass will be at 11:30 a.m. Friday,

August 14 at Church of St. Mary, 175 E. Illinois Rd., Lake Forest. Interment will immediately follow the mass at Memory Gardens Cemetery, 2501 E. Euclid Ave., Arlington Heights. Memorial contributions can be made to Church of St. Mary. For info: 847-362-3009 or sign the guestbook at www.burnettdane.com.

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“ Will miss your (Uncle Chuck) calm soothing voice during our conversations and time spent on the Lake Michigan Beach at Lake Bluff collecting the "right" shaped rocks to match the fireplace at the family home. We always had so much fun "all" together!

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